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GOSPEL AWAKENING

BY F. A. BLACKMER.

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WHEN thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly. Matt. 6:6.

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- "O sing unto the Lord a new song: sing unto the Lord, all the earth. Sing unto the Lord, bless his name; show forth his salvation from day to day."—Psa. xcvi. 1-2.
- "Sing unto the Lord a new song, and his praise from the end of the earth. Let the inhabitants of the rocks sing, let them shout from the tops of the mountains. Let them give glory unto the Lord, and declare his praise."—Isaiah xlii, 10—12.
- "Sing unto the Lord a new song, and his praise in the congregation of saints. Let the saints be joyful in glory: let them sing aloud upon their beds. Let the high praises of God be in their mouth."—Psalms cxlix, 1-5, 6.
- "Where is God my maker, who giveth songs in the night?"-Job xxxv, 10.
- "I call to remembrance my song in the night: I commune with my own heart."—Psalms lxxvii, 6.
- "Be filled with the Spirit: speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart unto the Lord."—Eph. v, 18-19.

HE foregoing quotations from the Word of the Lord is deemed a sufficient reason for offering to the Church one more book containing some of the "new songs" for which the servants of the Most High of old called, when moved upon by Divine inspiration; and if through this volume the name of the Lord shall be magnified and the Church comforted and blessed in some degree, the highest ambition of the author will be realized.

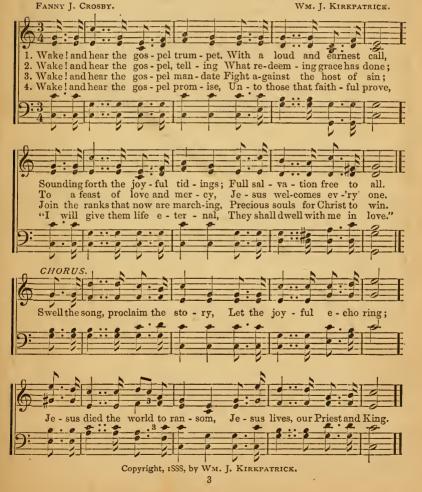
Aside from new material, much will be found in this book which has been tested and proved to be good. Some of the old standard hymns, which are always indispensable, are retained. The valuable assistance of the many authors who have contributed to these pages is hereby gratefully acknowledged.

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The Gospel Call.

DEDICATION HYMN.

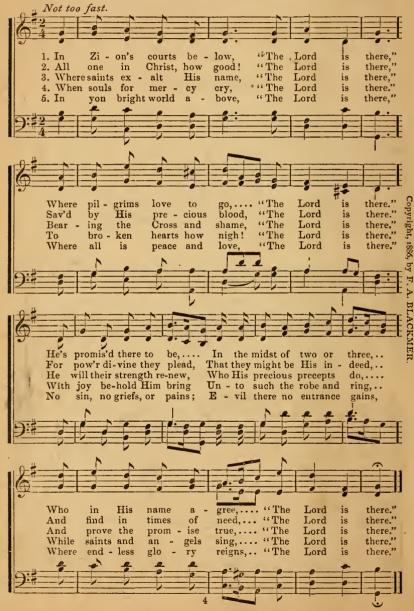


No. 2. "The Lord is There."

"It was round about eighteen thousand measures; and the name of the City from that day shall be, 'The Lord is there,"—Ezekiel xlviii. 35.

SAMUEL PEACH.

F. A. BLACKMER.



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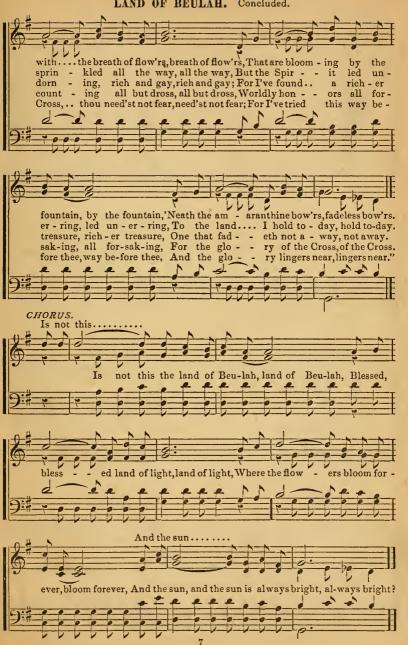
Will You Come?



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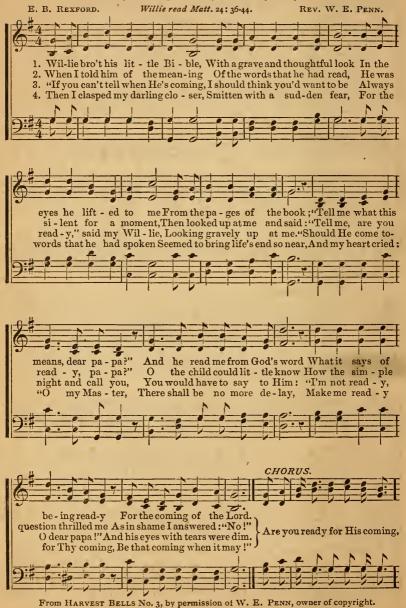


LAND OF BEULAH. Concluded.

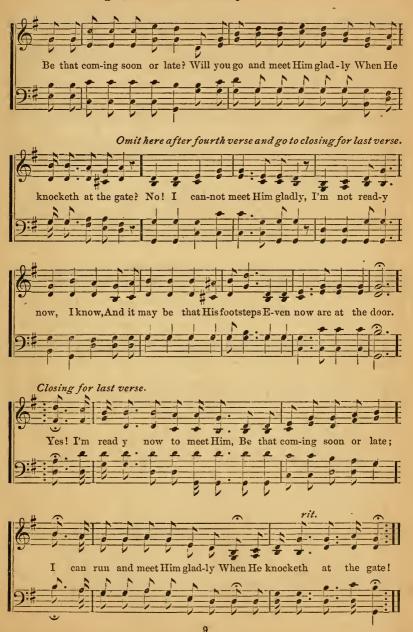


No. 5. Papa, Are You Ready?

Companion song to "If Papa Were Only Ready."

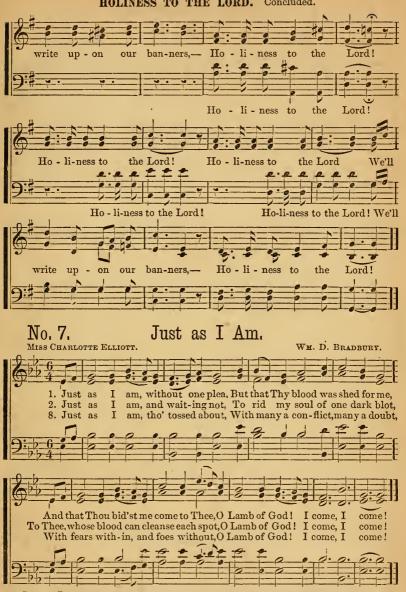


Papa, Are You Ready? CONCLUDED.





HOLINESS TO THE LORD. Concluded.



- 4 Just as I am; Thou wilt receive, Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve; Because Thy promise I believe,
 - O Lamb of God! I come, I come!
- 5 Just as I am—Thy love unknown Has broken every barrier down; Now to be Thine, yea, Thine alone, O Lamb of God! I come, I come!

No. 8.

Except Ye Repent.

Luke 13: 3.

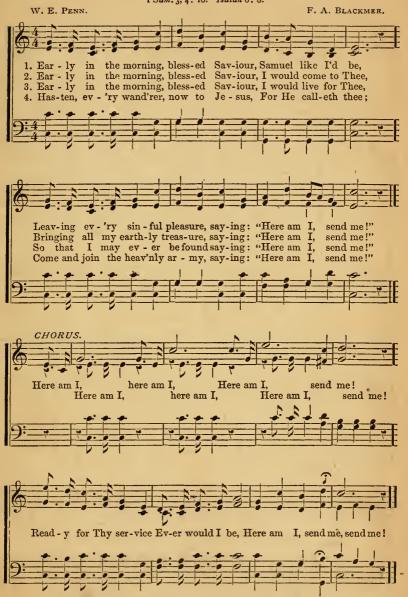
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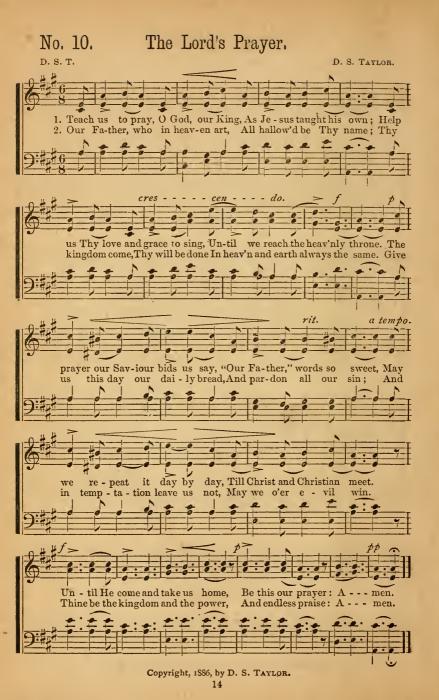
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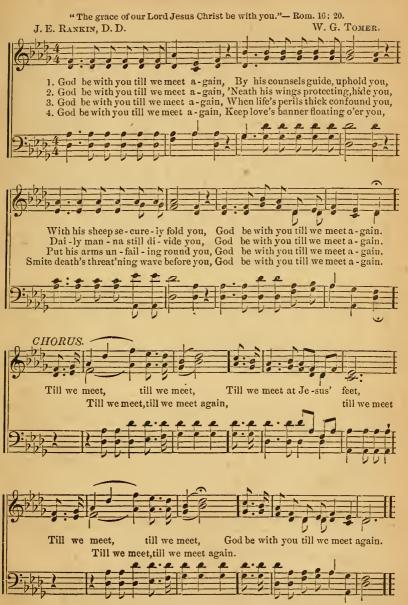
No. 9. Here Am I, Send Me!

1 Sam. 3, 4: 10. Isaiah 6: 8.





No. 11. God be with You.



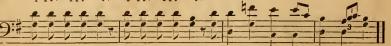
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No. 12. Happy Day. F. A. BLACKMER. 1. O hap - py day that fixed my choice On Thee, my Saviour, and my God! 'Tis done, the great transaction's done; I am my Lord's, and He is mine;
 Now rest, my long - di-vid - ed heart; Fixed on this bliss-ful cen - ter, rest; 4. High heav'n, that heard the solemn vow, That vow renewed shall dai-ly hear, Wellmay this glowing heart re - joice, And tell its raptures all He drew me, and I fol-lowed on, Charm'd to con-fess the voice di-vine. Nor ev - er from Thy Lord de-part: With Him of ev - ery good possess'd. Till in life's lat-est hour I bow, And bless in death a bond so dear.

Hap - - py day, When Je-sus washed my sins away; Hap - - - py day, Hap-py, happy day, Hap-py, happy day,

to watch and pray, And live re - joic-ing

Hap - - - py day, hap - - - py day, When Je-sus washed my sins Hap-py, happy day, hap-py, happy day,

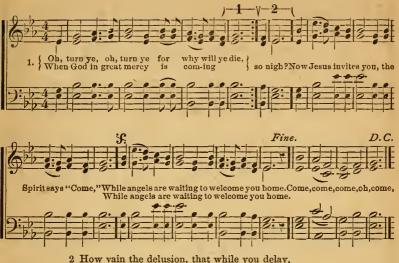


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No. 13.

Oh, Turn Ye.

SIR HENRY ROWLEY BISHOP.



- 2 How vain the delusion, that while you delay, Your hearts may grow better, your chains melt away; Come guilty, come wretched, come just as you are All helpless and dying, to Jesus repair.
- 3 The contrite in heart He will freely receive, Oh! why will you not the glad message believe? If sin be your burden, why will you not come? 'Tis you He makes welcome; He bids you come home.

No. 14. Launch the Life-Boat!

A. T. G.

Con Spirito. Solo or Duet.

1. The tempest broods over the bil-lows, The storm banner's folds are unfurled, And 2. A - last for the frail barks that wander, And aim-less-ly drift out to sea; A. 3. A - way, gal-lant hearts, to your stations, Tho' storms rage and wild billows foam; For

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Launch the Life-Boat, CONTINUED.



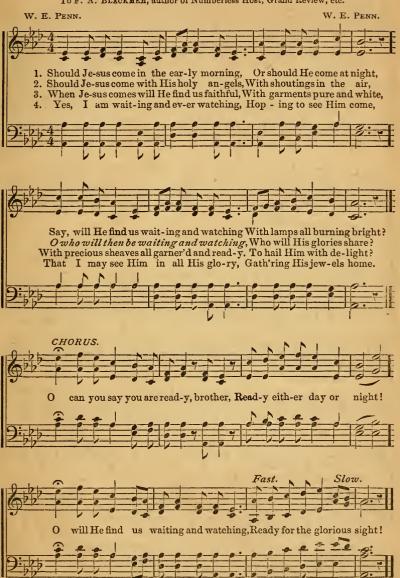
Launch the Life-Boat. CONCLUDED.



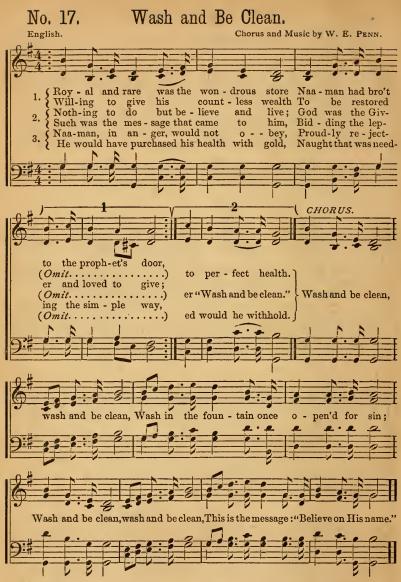


No. 16. Are You Waiting and Watching?

To F. A. BLACKMER, author of Numberless Host, Grand Review, etc.



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4 Humbled at last was the ruler's pride, Slowly he journeyed to Jordan's tide, Headth, joy and peace from his gracious clean."

5 Sinner, would'st thou be cleansed from sin? Heed the command: "Go, wash and be clean."

Lord Wash in the blood of the Lamb to-day, Came thro' believing the prophet's word. God hath decreed—there's no other way.

No. 18. Not Here, but There is Home.

DUETAND CHORUS.



No. 19. Are the Signals All Right?

SAMUEL PEACH. 1. Wel-come, band of true toil - ers, who by thou - sands are found By the red lights of dan - ger have you left the down line? With a love for Christ's ser - vice, and your soul well sup - plied, your jour - neys up and down shall And at last when be done, On the hun-dreds of rail - ways and the sta - tions By the green lights of can - tion have you knowledge di - vine? With in -spir - ed di and tried; rec - tions full - y test - ed And life's train shall tri - umph to the ter - mi - nus come; There's a ques - tion con - cern - ing heav-en's call - ing so Can you say when on - du ty, ei - ther day - time or night, for glo . ry, With the Points set with the met - als all tight. Will you sing you're near . ing heav-en's stores of . de - light. Je - sus?" Are the sig - nals right?" Are you hap · py in all and the "sig - nals right?" I am hap - py in Je - sus, are right?" with the "sig - nals Are you hap - py Praise the Lord! Hal in Je - sus, all all the "sig - nals right?" le - lu . jah! are CHORUS. With a clear shin - ing light, is your lamp burn . ing Chorus for last verse. With a clear shin - ing light, yes, my lamp's burn - ing -0--0-

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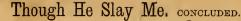


No. 21. Though He Slay Me.

To all the suffering people of God this song Is affectionately dedicated. "Though He slay me, yet will I trust in Him."—Job 13: 15.

MRS. T. M. GRIFFIN. Music and Chorus by Rev. W. E. PENN. be tak - en from me, E'en those that 1. Tho' all my earth treasures the bloom of my strong hopeful life, in He sends me long all. prize most of faith His dear love in my pain, of meek - ly fold watch es will my Tho' be - fall. sor - row I'll see. grief and temp-ta - tion hands from the strife, Nor grieve that my plans were trust Him, I'll trust Him O'er life's stormy sea, I'll trust Him, I'll I'll trust Him, I'll trust Him By trust Him, Wher-ev -

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3 Tho' friends should forsake me and leave 4 My rod and my staff, yes, on Him will me alone.

And Marah's full cup I should quaff, Though peace never come and my rest be a In Him will I trust, and my soul be

When through the deep waters I go, serene,

He'll still be my rod and my staff.

Though billows of woe overflow.



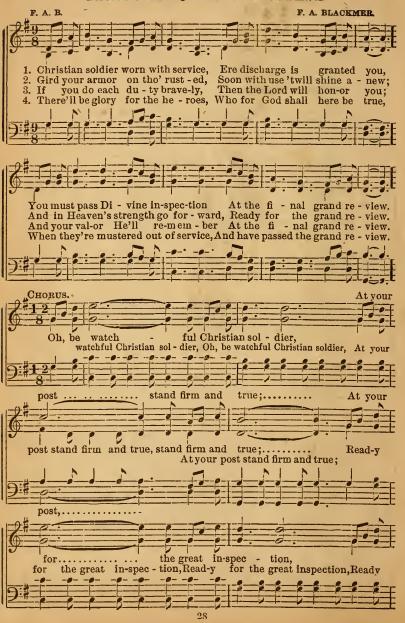
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The Grand Review.

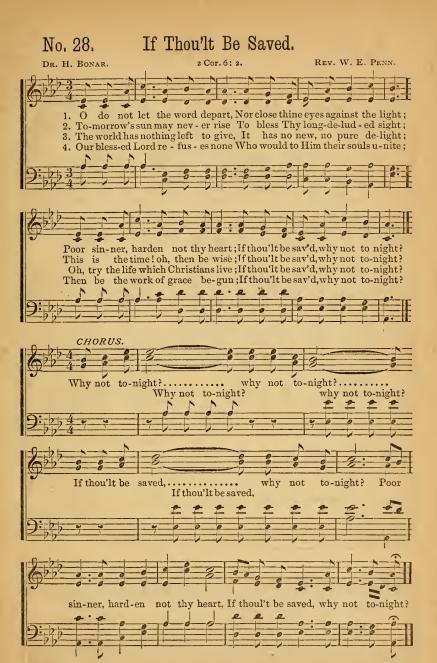
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"And before Him shall be gathered all nations."- Matt. xxv: 32.

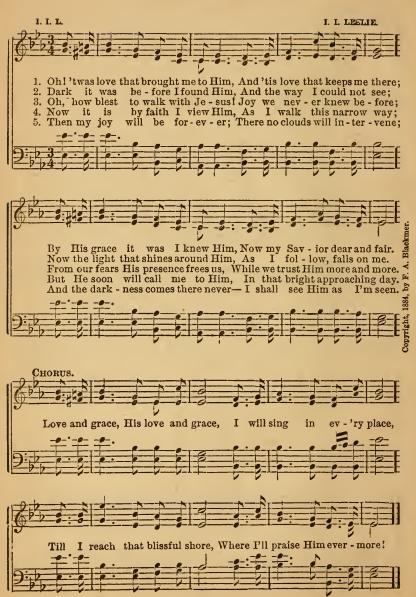




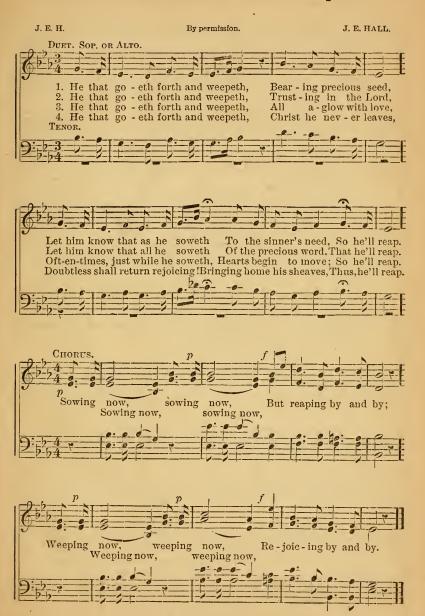




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No. 30. He That Goeth Forth and Weepeth.



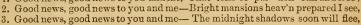




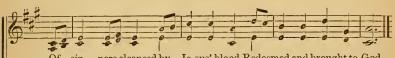
Good News.



1. Good news, good news to you and me, That tells of par-don full and free;





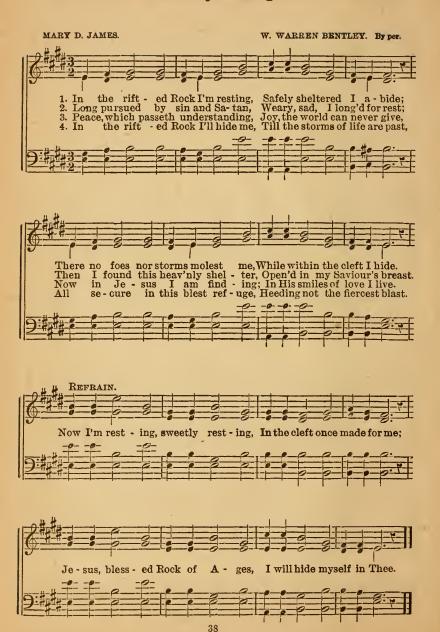


sin - ners cleansed by Je-sus' blood, Redeemed and brought to God. yon-der glo-ry-home. E-den's stormless shore. And hills of light where saints shall roam, In And we shall reign for - ev - er-more On





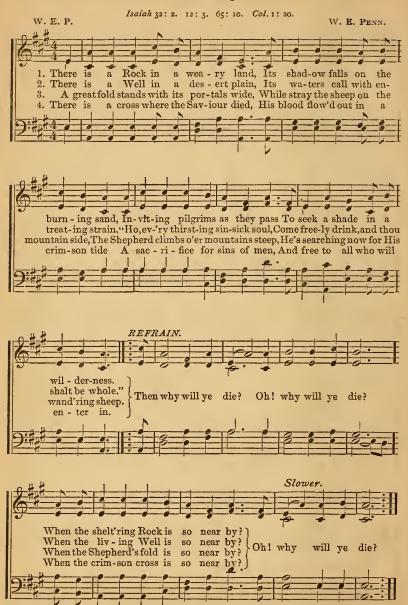




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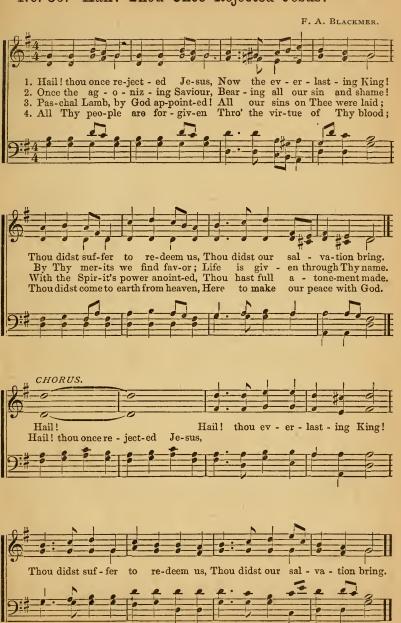


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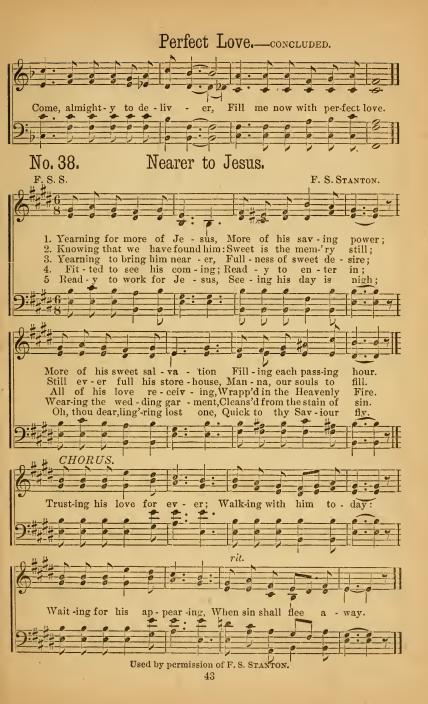


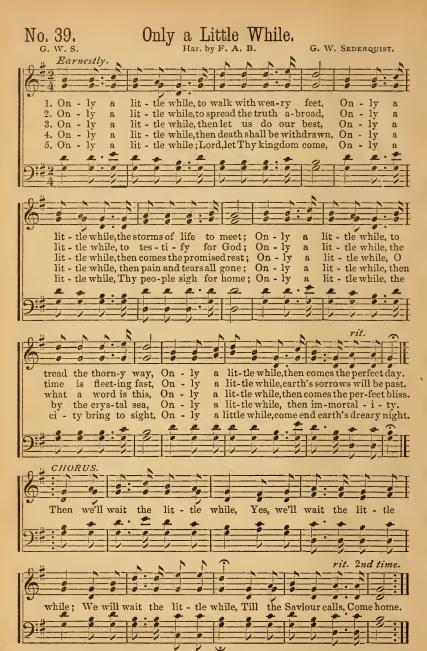
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No. 36. Hail! Thou Once Rejected Jesus!





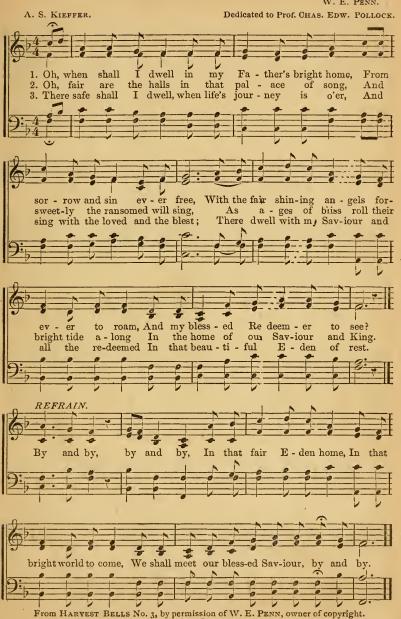




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The Eden of Love. No. 40.

W. E. PENN.



No. 41." He Knoweth the Way that I Take."



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Watch.

"Watch therefore, for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come."—Matt. 24:42.

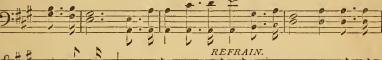
MISS MARIANA B. SLADE.

R. M. McIntosh.

1. When the cry shall be made at the mid-night, "Go ye out, for the Bride2. Till He comes now He bids us be read - y; Can you say to the Bride3. Oh, how sad if our oil is all wast-ed, Tho' we has-ten our lamps

groom is near!" Will your lamps trimmed and burning? Will you

groom is near!"Will you rise with your lamps trimmed and burning? Will you groom, I am? Will you en ter the door that is o pen, To the to re-new; If we find that the Bridegroom has en tered, Left with-



joy - ful - ly bid Him drawnear? dear marriage feast of the Lamb?

We will watch,

we will



wotch Till the Bridgerson shell come in His newer, In any



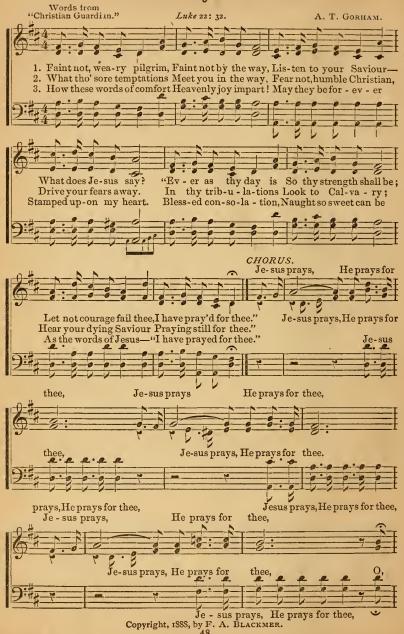
watch, we will watch,



Jesus saith we must watch, ever watch,

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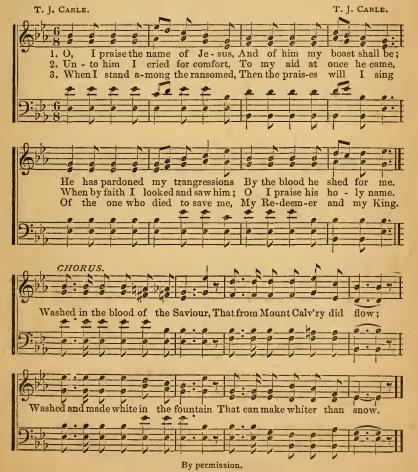
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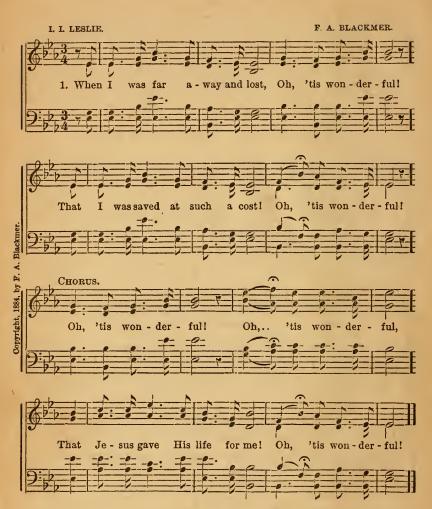


I Have Prayed For Thee. CONCLUDED.



No. 44. Washed in the Blood of the Saviour.



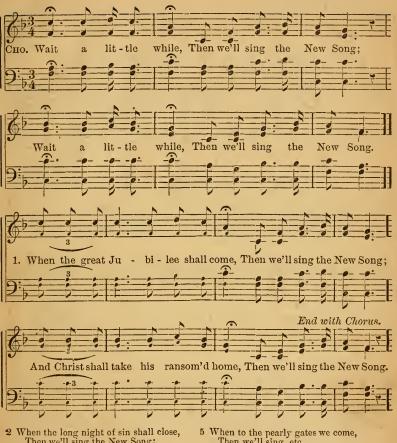


- 2 I once was blind, but now I see; Oh, 'tis wonderful!
- Was bound by sin, but now am free; Oh, 'tis wonderful!
- 3 My guilt was all I had to bring; Oh, 'tis wonderful! Yet I was made His love to sing; Oh, 'tis wonderful!
- 4 This great salvation all may share; Oh, 'tis wonderful! Thro'out the world the message bear;
 - Oh, 'tis wonderful!
- 5 Come, sinner, now, and seek His grace Oh, 'tis wonderful! And find in Him a resting place; Oh, 'tis wonderful!

"The New Song."



SOUTHERN MELODY.



- Then we'll sing the New Song; And life's fair day shall end our woes,
- Then we'll sing the New Song. Cho.—Wait a little while, etc.
- 3 When the glad shout shall rend the sky, Then we'll sing, etc. "O grave, where is thy victory?"

Then we'll sing, etc. Cho.—Wait a little while, etc.

4 When sorrow, pain and death are o'er, Then we'll sing, etc.

And sighs and tears shall be no more, Then we'll sing, etc.

Cho. - Wait a little while, etc.

- Then we'll sing, etc.
- When we have reached our blissful home, Then we'll sing, etc.
 Cho.—Wait a little while, etc.

6 When we shall tread Life's river brink, Then we'll sing, etc.

And of those crystal waters drink, Then we'll sing, etc.

Cho .- Wait a little while, etc.

7 Where all will be immortal, fair, There we'll sing the New Song;

When blood-washed robes are ours to wear, Then we'll sing the New Song.

Cho .- Wait a little while, etc.

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No. 47. Take My Hand, Dear Father.

"For I the Lord thy God will hold thy right hand"-Isa. 12: 13.

CHAS. EDW. PRIOR. MRS. E. C. ELLSWORTH. ALTO SOLO. Slowly. 1. Take my hand, dear Fa-ther, Lead me safe - ly through; 2. Takemy hand, dear Fa-ther, Lest I meet a snare, 3. Take my hand, dear Fa-ther, Be my guard and guide; is For the gate nar-row, And my feet should stum-ble While I'm un - a ware. Nought shall ev - er harm me, While I'm near it, hand, oh, take



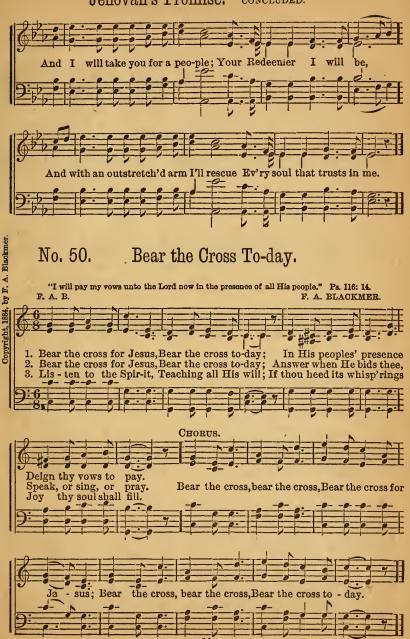
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No. 48. I Have Been Redeemed.





Jehovah's Promise. CONCLUDED.



No. 51. The King's Highway.

"And an highway shall be there."-Isaian 35: 8.

PRISCILLA J. OWENS.

CHAS. EDW. PRIOR.









No. 52. Standing, Knocking, Waiting.

"Behold I stand at the door and knock."-Rev. 3: 20.

PETER VOGEL. KNOWLES SHAW. Sin-ner, didst thou hear it? 'Tis the Saviour's call, Standing, knocking, Seek-ing for an entrance In that heart of thine, Plead-ing to trans-Ten-der is Hisac-cent, Winning is His tone, Standing, knocking, Father's house of mansions, Beau-ti-ful and fair, Stands in grandeur Oh, canst thou refuse Him, Knocking day by day, Standing, knocking, the Lord Almighty, Humbled in the dust, Beg-geth thee wait-ing, Christ the Lord of all: form thee By His grace di - vine. wait-ing, Wants thee for a Standing, knocking, wait-ing, wait-ing, He would sup you there. wait-ing, Yield with-out de - lay; sov'reign, "Take me as Thy guest." 'Tis the Saviour call-ing, Make to-day your choice. Hear His gentle voice;

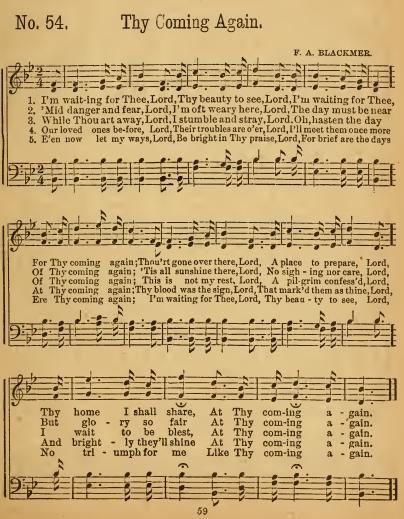
- 4 Soon the day is coming, When no more, as now, Standing, knocking, waiting, Christ to thee will bow; On His throne of glory,
 - Thou the beggar then,
 - Judgment passing o'er thee, Thou wilt beg in vain.
- 5 Oh, I yield, I open, Saviour, at the door Standing, knocking, waiting, Thou shalt wait no more; Enter with forgiveness, Enter, Peerless One; Treat me as a servant, Never as a son.

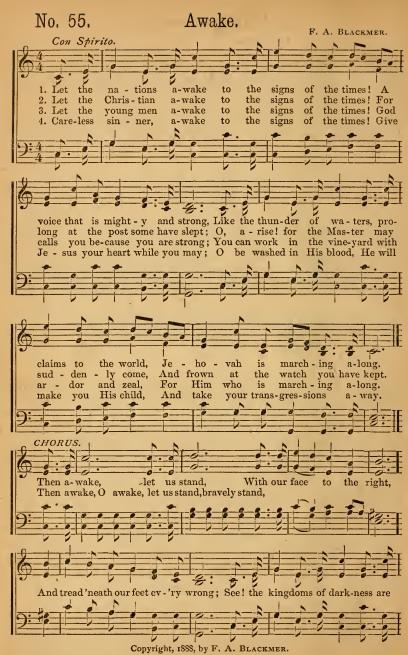
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Cross of Christ, CONCLUDED.







Awake, concluded.



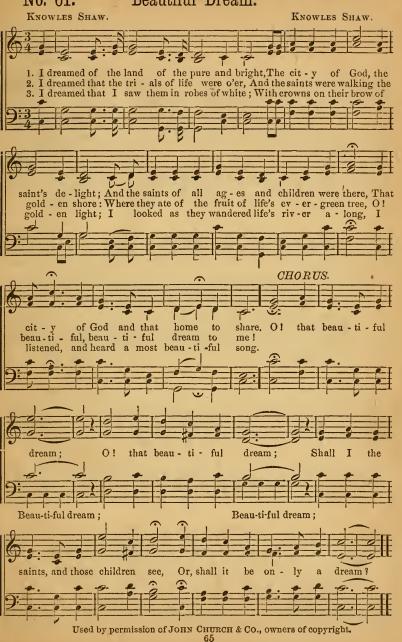
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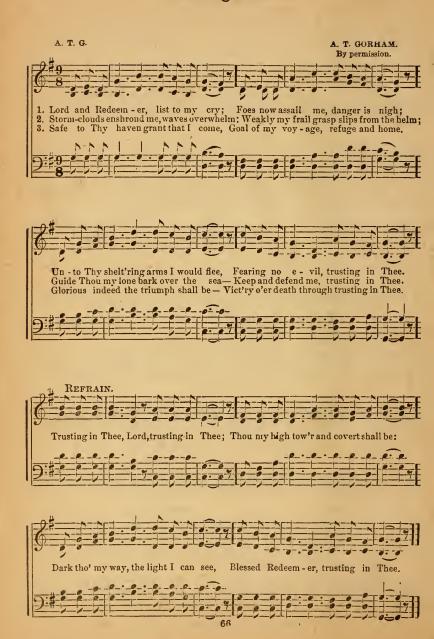
Coming Again.

"I will come again, and receive you unto myself."- John 19: 3.

To Mrs. W. E. PENN. F. A. B. F. A. BLACKMER. May be Sung as a Solo. Je-sus, my Saviour, is coming again! Sound out the tidings o'er earth and main; Je-sus is coming, oh, wonderful word! Sweeter than a-ny on earth I've heard; Oh, can it be He is coming ere long, He whom I'm trusting with faith so strong, 4. Why should the tidings bring gladness to me? Surely mine eyes shall His beauty see; 5. Thought of His coming my soul doth e-late, As in the gloaming I watch and wait, 6. When He shall come all my grief will be o'er; Friends I shall meet to forget no more, Com-ing to gather His peo - ple and reign, Com-ing to earth He whom my soul o-ver all hath pre-ferr'd, Com-ing to earth a -He who a-lone is the theme of my song, Com-ing to earth a -And in His presence I ev - er shall be, When He shall come a -Longing each day for the glo - ri-fied state; When He shall come a -Whom death remov'd in the dark days of yore, Till He shall come a CHORUS. Je-sus is coming, prolong the strain; com-ing a-gain, Com - ing a-gain, a - gain, com-ing a-gain, Com-ing on earth

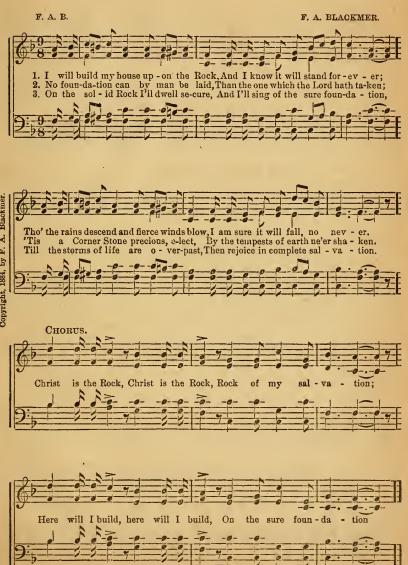
No. 61. Beautiful Dream.





The Sure Foundation. No. 63.

"Behold, I lay in Zion for a foundation a stone, a tried stone, a precious corner-stone, a sure foundation."
"For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ."

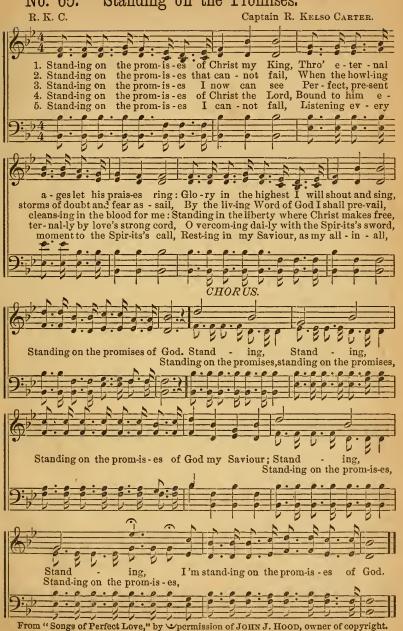


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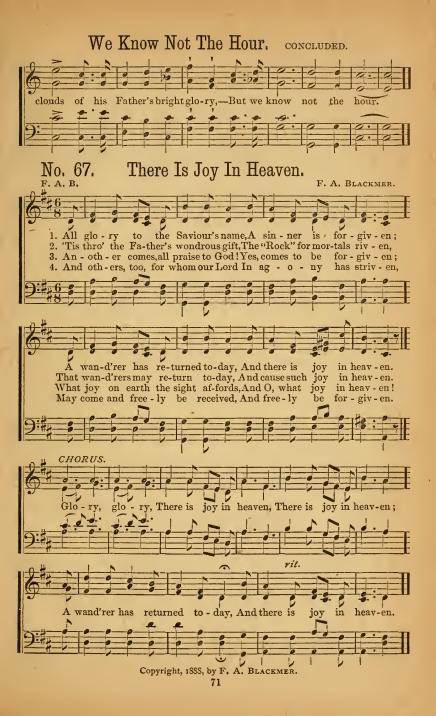


No. 66. We Know Not the Hour.

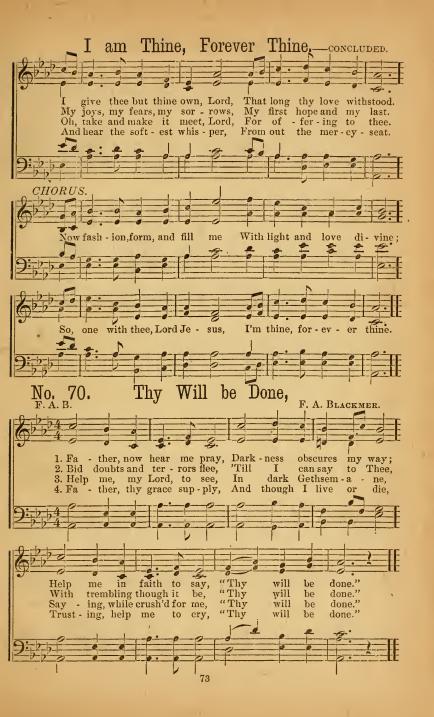
"But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the augels of heaven, but my Father only. * * * Watch therefore; for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come."—Matt. 24: 36-42.



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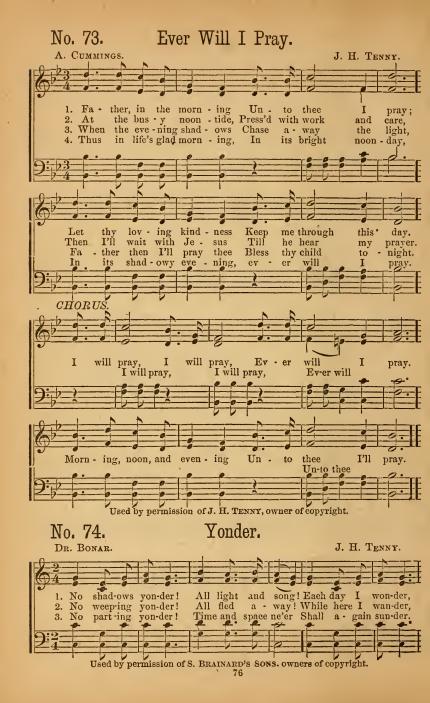


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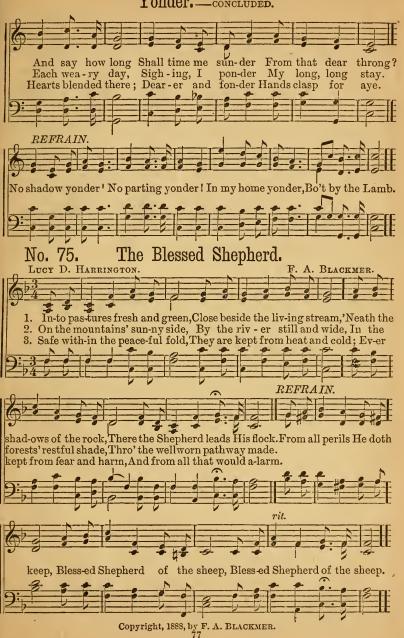


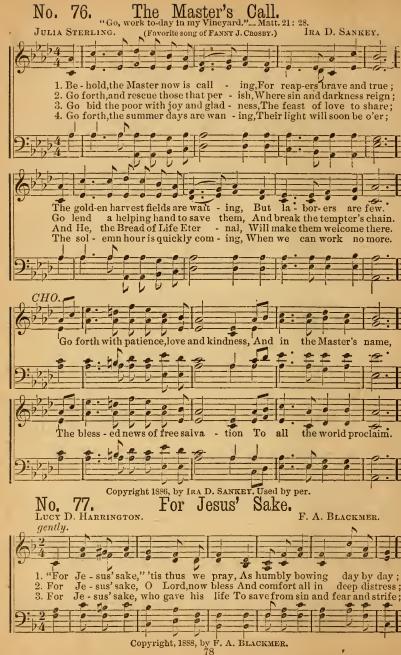
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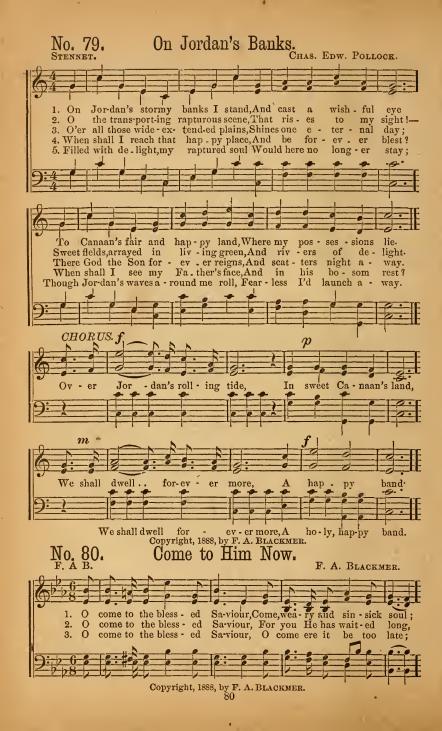


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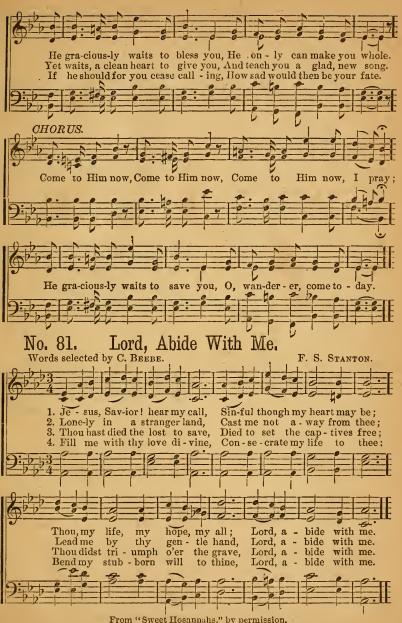




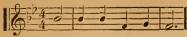




Come to Him Now.—CONCLUDED.



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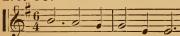
1 Arise, my soul, arise;
Shake off thy guilty fears;
The bleeding sacrifice
In my behalf appears.
Before the throne my surety stands,
My name is written on His hands.

2 He ever lives above,
For me to intercede;
His all redeeming love,
His precious blood to plead;
His blood atoned for all our race,
And sprinkles now the throne of grace.

3 Five bleeding wounds he bears,
Received on Calvary;
They pour effectual prayers,
They strongly plead for me:
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry;
"Nor let that ransomed sinner die."

4 To God I'm reconciled;
 His pardoning voice I hear;
He owns me for His child.
I can no longer fear:
With confidence I now draw nigh,
And, "Father, Abba, Father," cry.

No. 83. BETHANY.

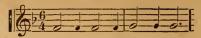


1 Nearer, my God, to Thee, Nearer to Thee! E'en though it be a cross That raiseth me; Still all my song shall be— Nearer, my God, to Thee! Nearer to Thee.

2 Though, like the wanderer, The sun gone down, Darkness be over me, My rest a stone; Yet in my dreams I'd be— Nearer, my God, to Thee! Nearer to Thee!

3 There let the way appear,
Steps unto heaven;
All that thou sendest me,
In mercy given;
Angels to beckon me
Nearer, my God, to Thee—
Nearer to Thee!

No. 84. MARTYN.

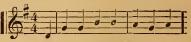


1 Jesus, Lover of my soul,
Let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempest still is high!
Hide me, O my Saviour, hide,
Till the storm of life is past;
Safe into the haven guide,
O receive me home at last.

2 Other refuge have I none;
Hangs my helpless soul on Thee:
Leave, O leave me not alone,
Still support and comfort me:
All my trust on Thee is stayed,
All my help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenceless head
With the shadow of Thy wing!

3 Thou, O Christ, art all I want;
More than all in Thee I find;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
Heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is Thy name,
I am all unrighteousness:
False and full of sin I am,
Thou art full of truth and grace.

No. 85. CORONATION.



1 All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all.

2 Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall, Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all.

3 Let every kindred, every tribe,
 On this terrestrial ball,
 To Him all majesty ascribe,
 And crown Him Lord of all.

4 O that with yonder sacred throng
We at His feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song,
And crown Him Lord of all.

No. 86. ROCK OF AGES.



- 1 Rock of ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee; Let the water and the blood, From Thy side a healing flood, Be of sin the double cure,— Save from wrath, and make me pure.
- 2 Should my tears forever flow, Should my zeal no languor know, All for sin could not atone; Thou must save, and thou alone; In my hand no price I bring; Simply to Thy cross I cling.
- 3 While I draw this fleeting breath, When mine eyelids close in death, When I with the throng unknown, See thee on thy judgment throne,—Rock of ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee.

No. 87. WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS. Key F.

- 1 What a friend we have in Jesus,
 All our sins and griefs to bear;
 What a privilege to carry
 Everything to God in prayer.
 Oh, what peace we often forfeit,
 Oh, what needless pain we bear—
 All because we do not carry
 Everything to God in prayer.
- 2 Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere? We should never be discouraged, Take it to the Lord in prayer. Can we find a friend so faithful, Who will all our sorrows share? Jesus knows our every weakness, Take it to the Lord in prayer.
- 3 Are we weak and heavy laden,
 Cumbered with a load of care?
 Precious Saviour, still our refuge,—
 Take it to the Lord in prayer.
 Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
 Take it to the Lord in prayer;
 In His arms He'll take and and shield thee,
 Thou wilt find a solace there.

No. 88. SINNER'S INVITATION.

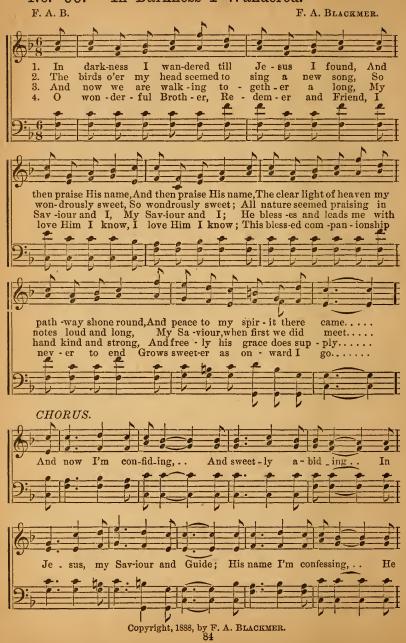


- 1 Sinner, go, will you go,
 To the high lands of Eden?
 Where the storms never blow,
 And the long summer's given;
 Where the bright blooming flow'rs
 Are their odors emitting;
 And the leaves of the bow'rs
 In the breezes are flitting?
- 2 Where the saints robed in white, Cleansed in life's flowing fountain, Shining beauteous and bright, They inhabit the mountain; Where no sin nor dismay, Neither trouble nor sorrow, Will be felt for a day, Nor be feared for the morrow.
- 3 He's prepared thee a home, Sinner, canst thou believe it? And invites thee to come, Sinner, wilt thou receive it? O! come, sinner, come, For the tide is receding, And the Saviour will soon And forever cease pleading.

No. 89. COME TO JESUS.

- 1 Come to Jesus, come to Jesus, Come to Jesus just now; Just now come to Jesus, Come to Jesus, just now.
- 2 He will save you, etc.
- 3 He is able, etc.
- 4 He is willing, etc.
- 5 He will cleanse you, etc.
- 6 Only trust Him, etc.
- 7 O, accept Him, etc.

No. 90. In Darkness I Wandered.

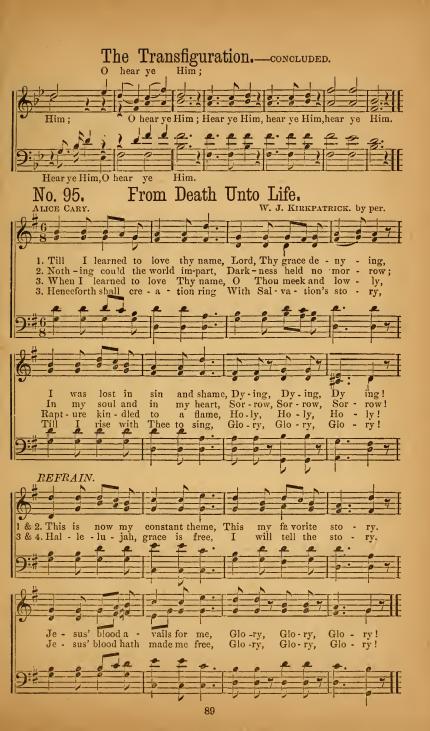




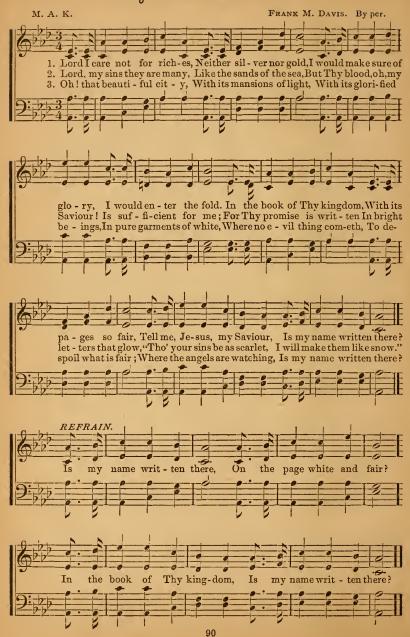




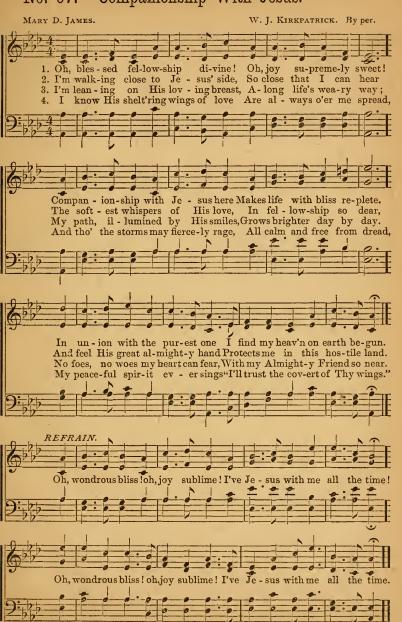




No. 96. Is My Name Written There?



No. 97. Companionship With Jesus.



No. 98. I Have Taken Up the Cross.

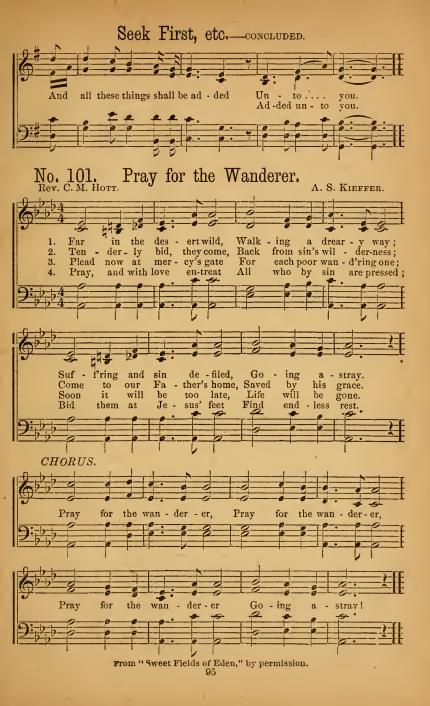


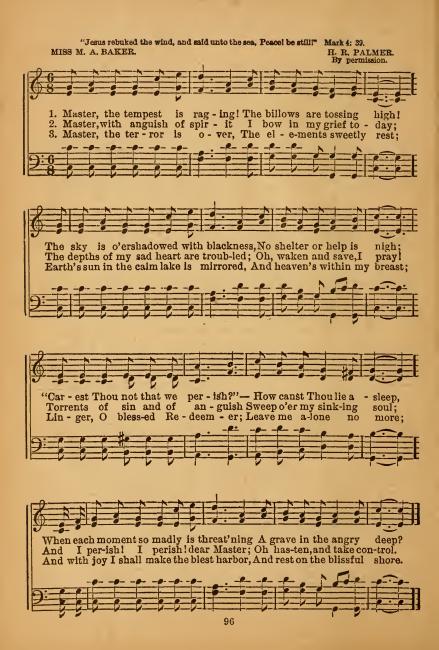


No. 100. Seek First the Kingdom of God.



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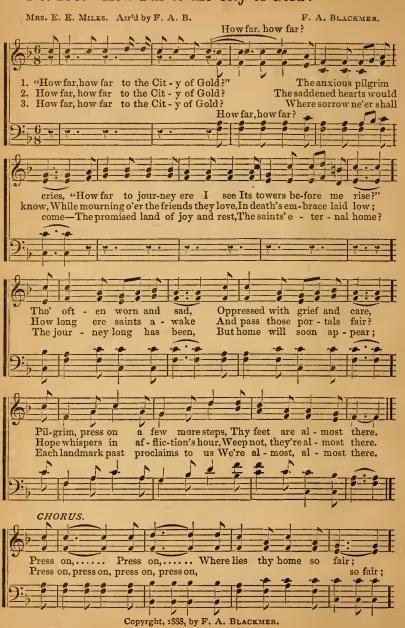




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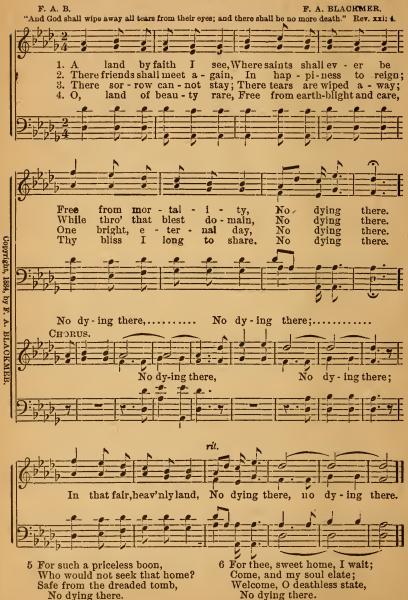


No. 103. How Far to the City of Gold?





No. 105. No Dying There.



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No. 106. It is Better Farther On.

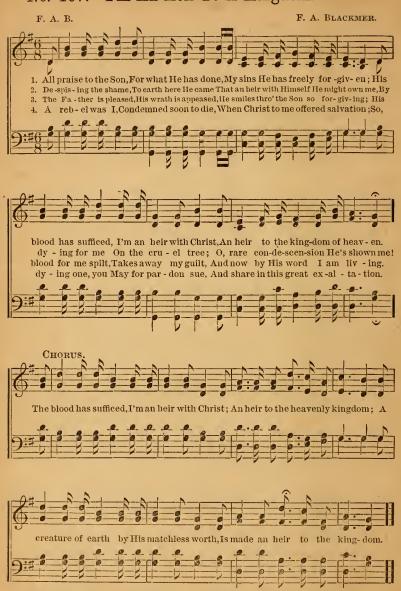


- 2 Hope is singing, still is singing, Softly in an under tone; Singing as if God had taught it, "It is better farther on."
- Cho.
- 3 Night and day it sings the same song, Sings it when I sit alone; Sings it so the heart may hear it, "It is better farther on." Cho.
- 4 On the grave it sits and sings it, Sings it when the heart would groan; Sings it when the shadows darken, "It is better farther on."

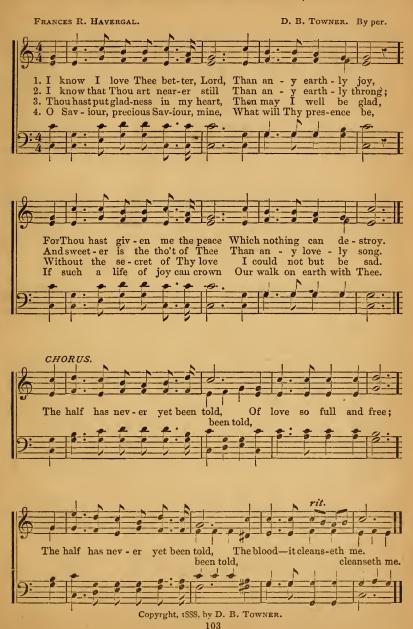
Cho.

5 Farther on! Oh! how much farther?
Count the mile-stones one by one;
No! no counting, only trusting,
"It is better farther on."

No. 107. I'm An Heir To A Kingdom.

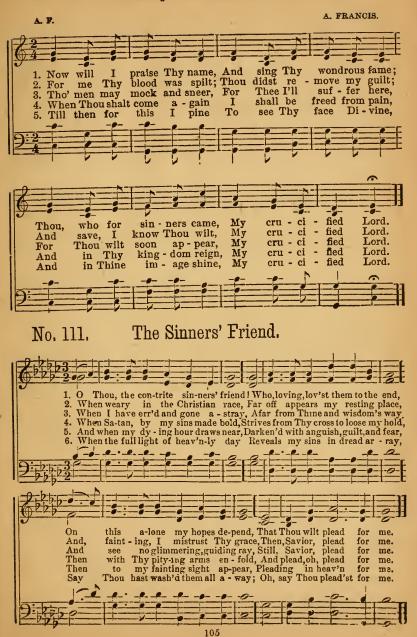


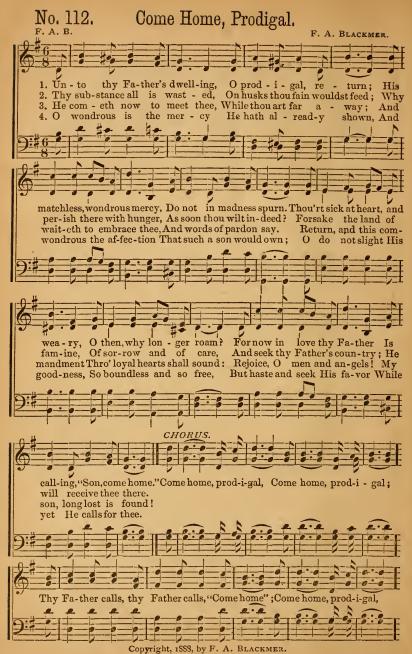
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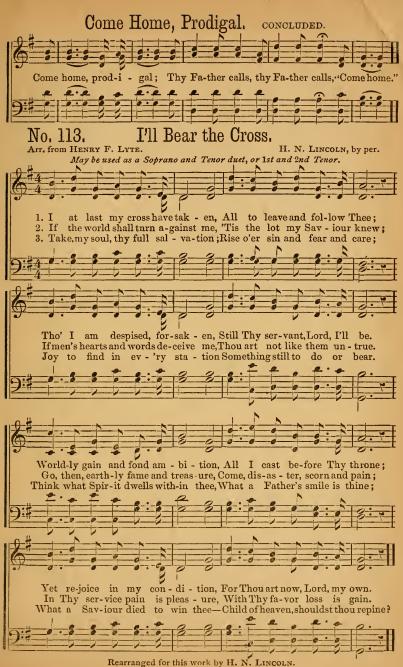


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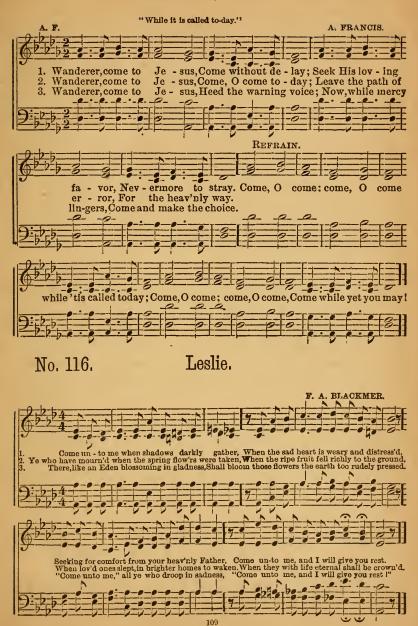


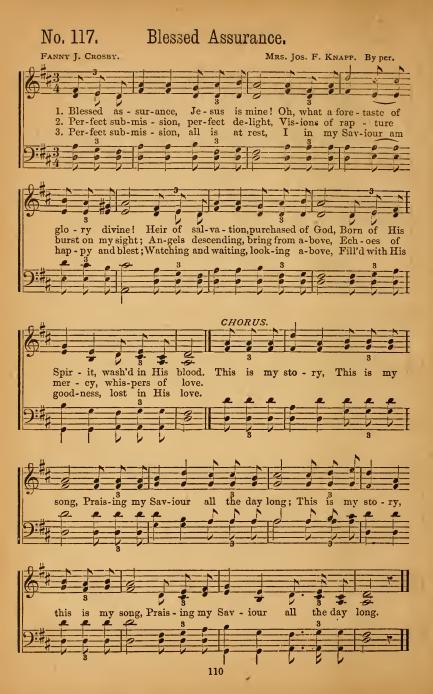


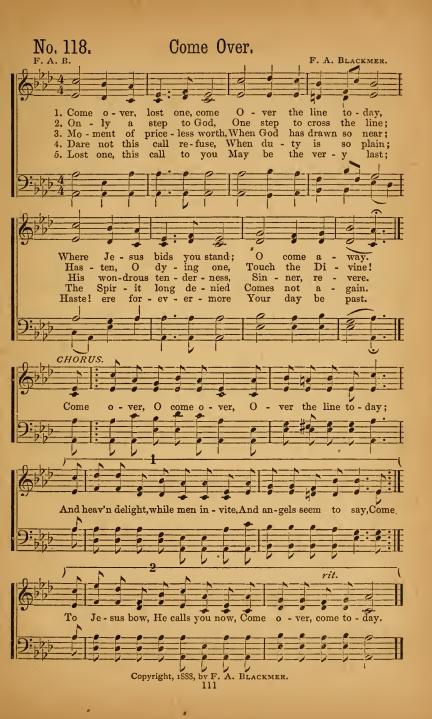
No. 114. The Numberless Host.



No. 115. Wanderer, Come.





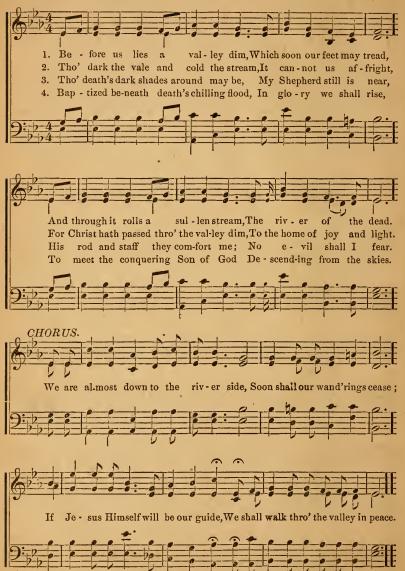


No. 119. The Valley Dim.

"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me."—Ps. 23: 4.

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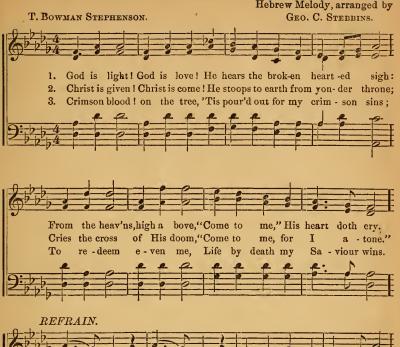
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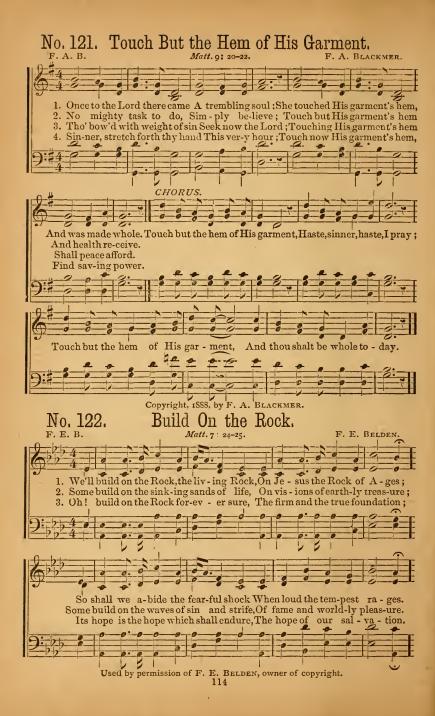
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No. 125.

Abide With Me.

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Abide With Me. CONCLUDED.



No. 126. Together They are Growing.

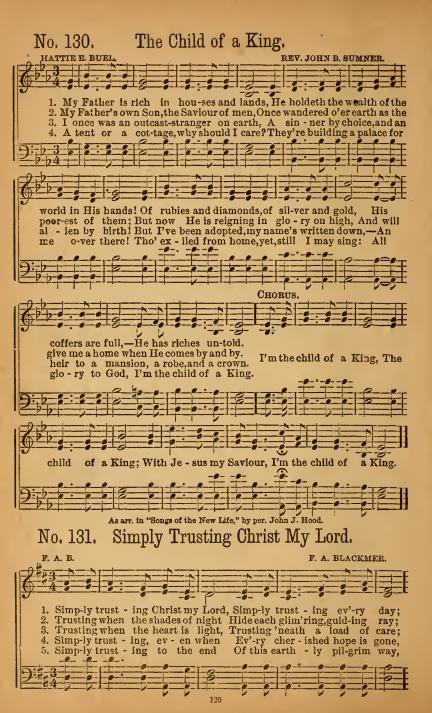
"Let both grow together until the harvest; and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather to together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.

** * * The harvest is the end of the world; and the reapers are the angels."—Matt. xiii: 30. 39.

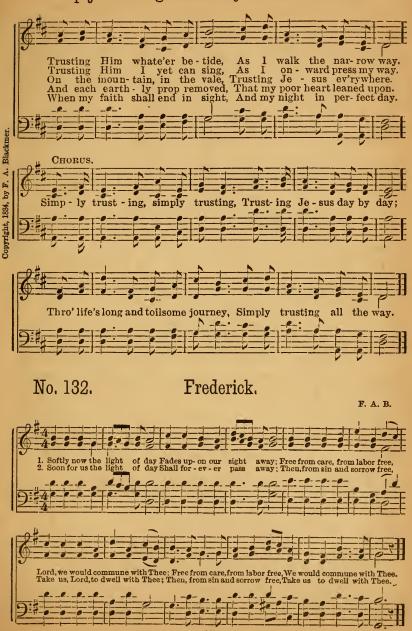








Simply Trusting Christ My Lord. CONCLUDED.

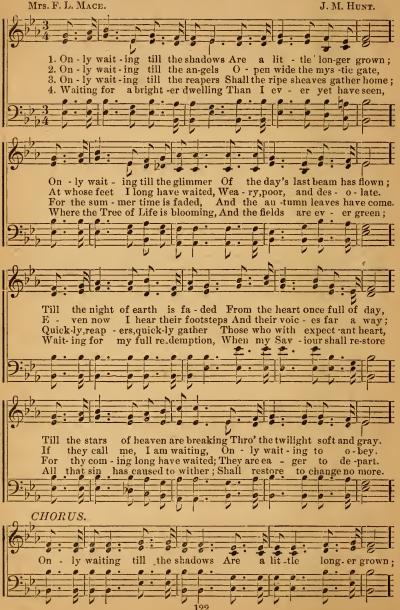


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No. 133.

Only Waiting.

"Waiting for the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ."-1 Cor. 1:7.

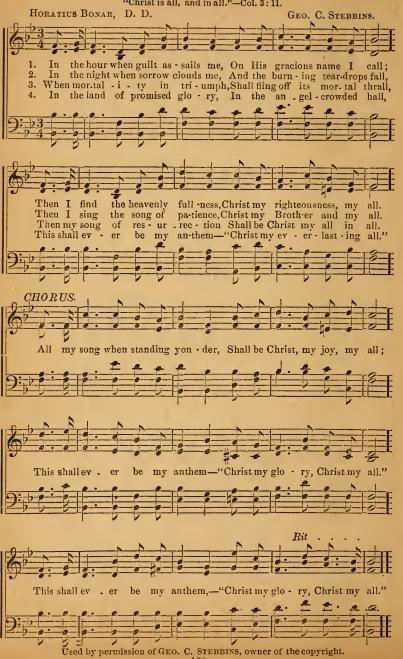




No. 135.

Christ my All.

"Christ is all, and in all."-Col. 3:11.



No. 136. There's Room for You to Anchor.

"In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so I would have told you; I go to prepare a place for you."—John 14: 2.
F. E. B. (Duet or Quartet.)

F. E. BELDEN $Tenderly. \ge$ cres. 1. There's room for you to an-chor Within the port of rest, Where tempests all are 2. There's room for you to anchor; The ship is waiting now; The ship of God's pre-3. The same dear friends shall meet us That we have loved below; The same sweet voices heaving, swelling billows, Bear onward to my home! Beyond these dreary dim. - ver, And calms no more molest; How sweet to weary voya-gers, This ask not Why nor How. His boundless love and mer - cv par · ing, O the long a - go. Then hush! ye murm'ring wa-ters, Ye greet us As in its shin-ing dome. There, there my fainting spir - it headlands I No see dim. precious promise giv'n: There's room for you to anchor Safe in heav'n. tongue can ev - er tell,— If you but trust His promise, tempests, cease to blow! I al-most hear the mu-sic All is well. Soft and low. more for rest shall sigh; 'Tis there I hope to an - chor By and by. REFRAIN.There's room (for you), there's room(for you); There's room (for you), there's dim. room(for you). There's room for you to an - chor Safe heav'n.

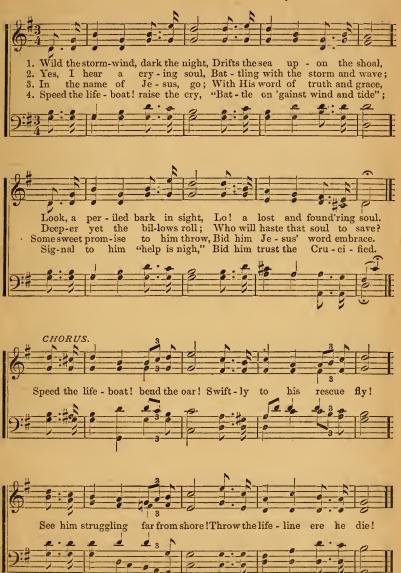
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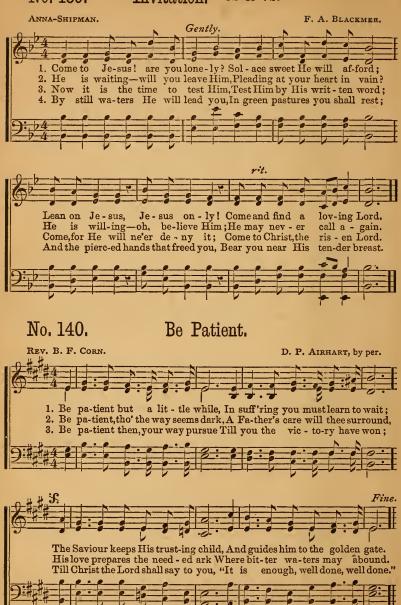
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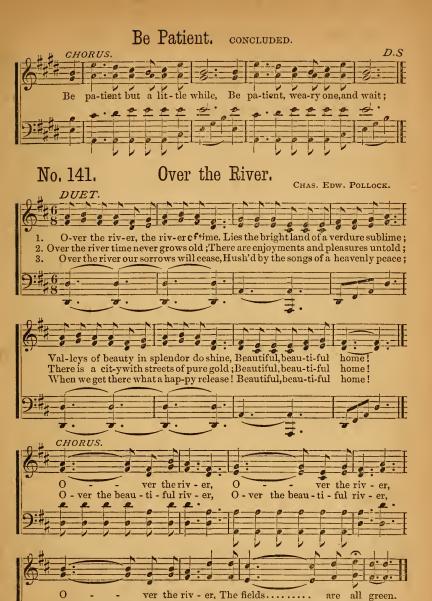
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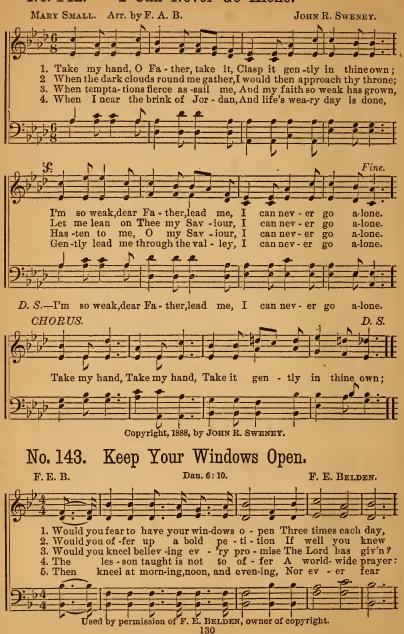
D.S.—The Saviour keeps His trust-ingichild, And guides him to the gold-en gate.

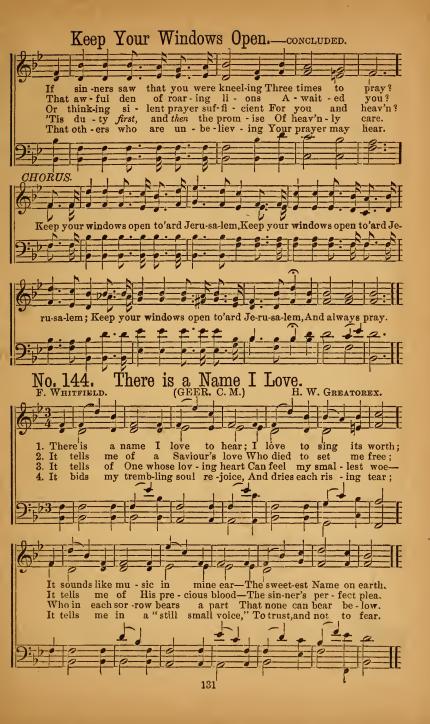


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No. 142. I Can Never Go Alone.

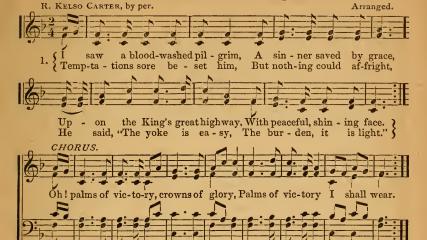




No. 145. Have You Heard The Gospel Story?



No. 146. The Blood-Washed Pilgrim.



A simple Faith his shield,
And Righteousness his breast-plate;
The Spirit's sword he'd wield.
All fiery darts arrested,
And quenched their blazing flight;
He cried. "The voke is easy.

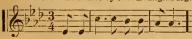
2 His helmet was Salvation.

- And quenched their blazing flight;
 He cried, "The yoke is easy,
 The burden, it is light."—Cho.
- 3 I saw him in the furnace,
 He doubted not, nor feared,
 And in the flames beside him
 The Son of God appeared.
 Though seven times 'twas heated
 With all the tempter's might,
 He said, "The yoke is easy,

The burden, it is light."—Cho. The yoke a Copyright, 1886, by R. K. CARTER.

No. 147. 1 WILL FOLLOW THEE.

Words and Music by Jas. L. Elginburg.



- 1 I will follow Thee, my Saviour, Wheresoe'er my lot may be; Where Thou goest I will follow, Yes, my Lord, I'll follow Thee.
- Cho.—I will follow Thee, my Saviour,
 Thou didst shed Thy blood for me,
 And tho' all men should forsake Thee,
 By Thy grace I'll follow Thee.

- 4 Mid storms, and clouds, and trials,
 In prison, at the stake,
 He leaped for joy, rejoicing,
 'Twas all for Jesus' sake.
 That God should count him worthy,
 Was such supreme delight,
 He cried, "The yoke is easy,
 The burden, is so light."—Cho.
- 5 I saw him overcoming, Through all the swelling strife, Until he crossed the threshold Of God's Eternal Life. The Crown, the Throne, the Sceptre, The Name, the Stone so White, Were his, who found, in Jesus, The yoke and burden light.—Cho.
- 2 Tho' the road be rough and thorny, Trackless as the foaming sea, Thou hast trod this way before me, And I gladly follow Thee.—Cho.
- 3 Though I meet with tribulations, Sorely tempted though I be, I remember Thou wast tempted, And rejoice to follow Thee.—Cho.
- 4 Though to Jordan's rolling billows, Cold and deep, Thou leadest me, Thou hast crossed its waves before me, And I still will follow Thee.—Cho.

Home All Beautiful. No. 148. Written for this work and dedicated to MR. and MRS. F. A. BLACKMER. H. N. LINCOLN. H. N. LINCOLN. cit - y built a - bove, Beau - ti - ful kingdom full of love cit - y of the blest, Beau - ti - ful walls with jasper drest; Beau-ti-ful kingdom full of love; 2. Beau - ti -ful 3. Beau - ti - ful songs of Christ the King, Beau - ti - ful strains from glad harps ring; Beau - ti - ful home where all may spend Beautiful days that ne'er shall end; Beau-ti-ful gates of worth un-told, Beautiful streets of pur - est gold: Beau - ti - ful light in that fair dome, Beautiful scenes in that sweet home: Beau-ti-ful throne with jewels bright, Beau-ti-ful an-gels clothed in white; Beau-ti-ful throng by faith I see, Beau-ti-ful robes for you and me; glid - ing by, Beau - ti - ful hills of glo - ry nigh; Beau-ti-ful riv-er Beau - ti - ful mansions all may share, Beau - ti-ful be - ings shall dwell there. crowns that all may wear, Beau - ti-ful palms that all may bear. Bean - ti - ful all with rap - ture rife, Beau - ti-ful home of light and life. Beau - ti - ful Copyright 1888. by F. A. BLACKMER. No. 149. A Little More Rough F. A. B. lit - tle more rough tossing, Life's bois -t'rous sea while crossing, 1. A

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ry,

Of sor - row and of cry - ing,

Life's bur - dens still to

few more days of sigh - ing,

few more days to tar -

2. A

A Little More Rough Tossing. CONCLUDED.



No. 150. The Lily of the Valley.



 I've found a friend in Jesus, He's everything to me, He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul; The Lily of the Valley in Him alone I see, All I need to cleanse and make me fully whole.

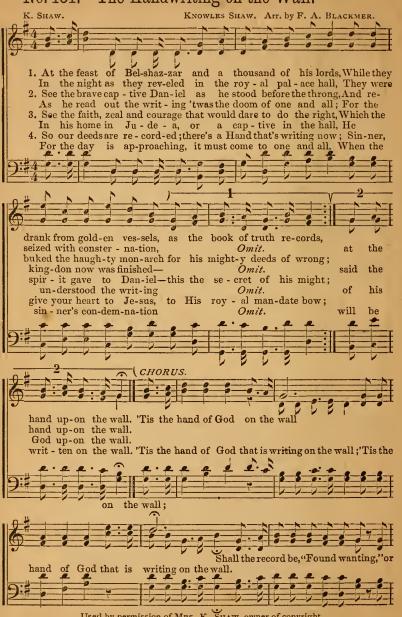
1: In sorrow He's my comfort, in trouble He's my stay,
He tells me ev'ry care on Him to roll.

He's the Lily of the Valley, the bright and morning Star,
He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul.: | Repeat for Cho.

2 He'll never, never leave me, nor yet forsake me here, While I live by faith and do His blessed will; A wall of fire about me, I've nothing now to fear; With His manna He my hungry soul shall fill; Then sweeping on to glory His blessed face we'll see, Where rivers of delight shall ever roll.

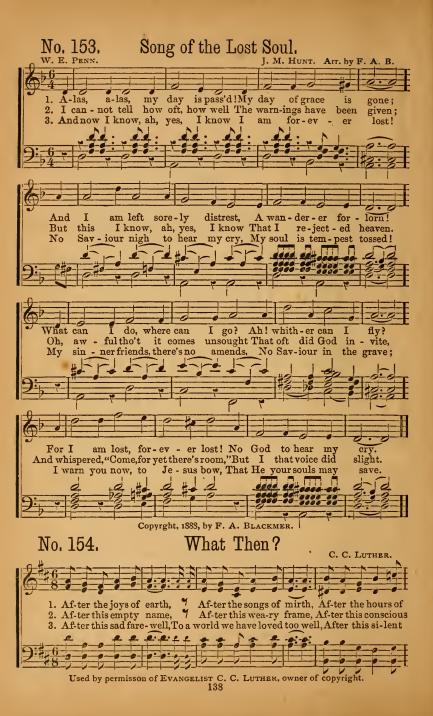
He's the Lily of the Valley, the bright and morning Star, He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul.

No. 151. The Handwriting on the Wall.



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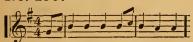




What Then? CONCLUDED.



No. 155. SAVED AT THE CROSS.



1 Behold the Saviour of mankind Nailed to the shameful tree! How great the love that Him inclined To bleed and die for me!

CHORUS.

At the cross, at the cross, where I first saw the light,

And the burden of my heart rolled away, Happy day.

It was there by faith I received my sight, And now I am happy all the day.

2 "'Tis finished," now the ransom's paid,
"Receive my soul," he cries;

Behold He bows His sacred head— He bows His head and dies!

3 Well might the sun in darkness hide,
And shut His glory in,

When Christ the mighty Saviour died For man the rebel's sin.

4 Thus might I hide my blushing face,
While His dear cross appears;
Dissolve my heart in thankfulness,
And melt mine eyes to tears.

5 But drops of griet can ne'er repay The debt of love I owe; Here, Lord, I give myself away:

Here, Lord, I give myself away; 'Tis all that I can do.



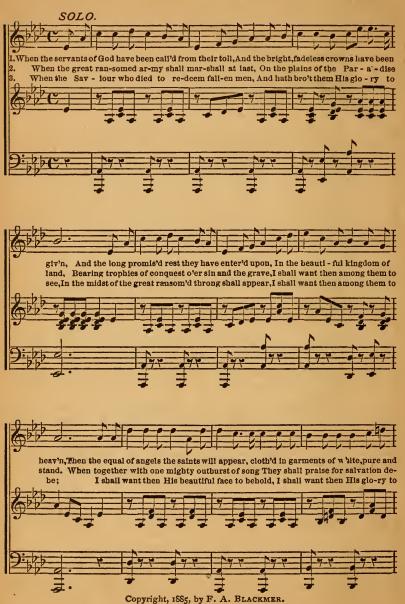
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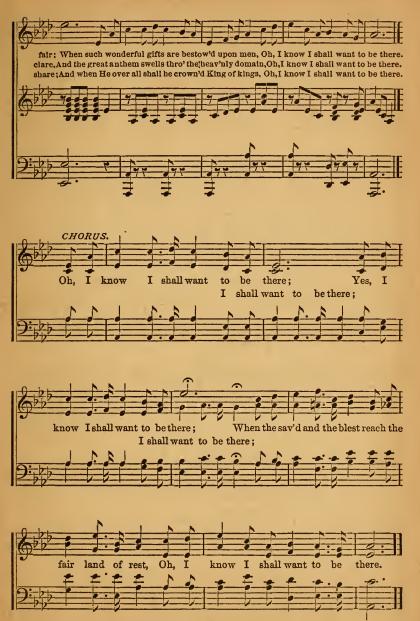
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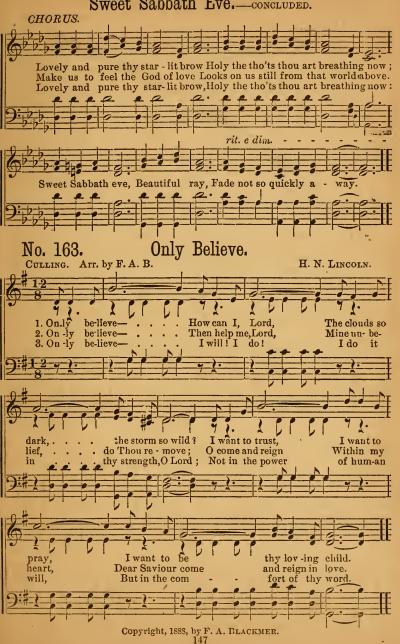
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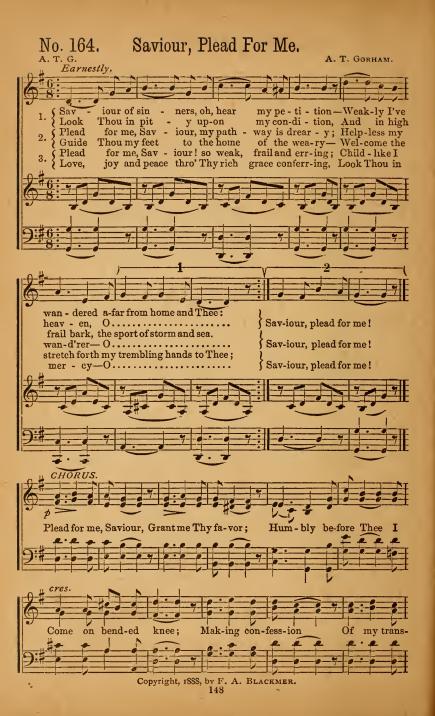


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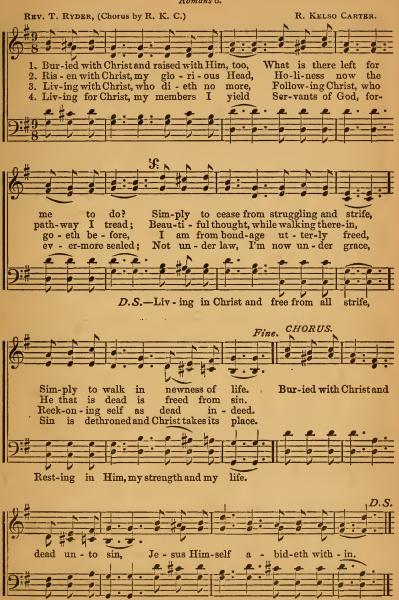






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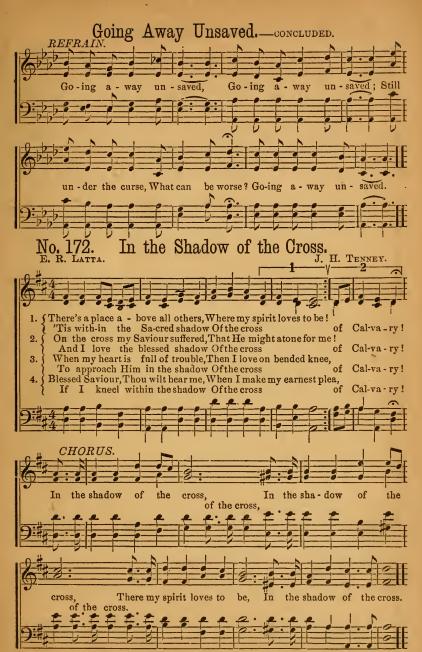
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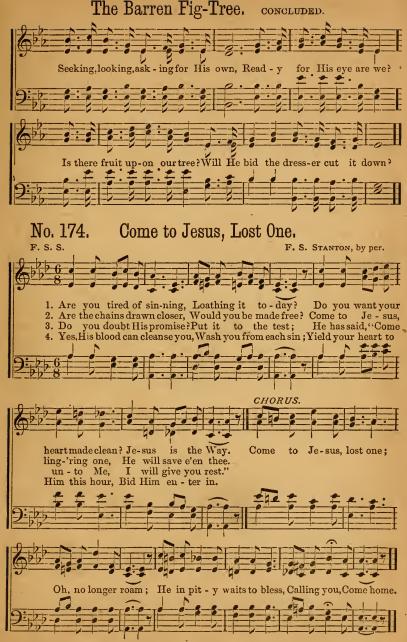


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